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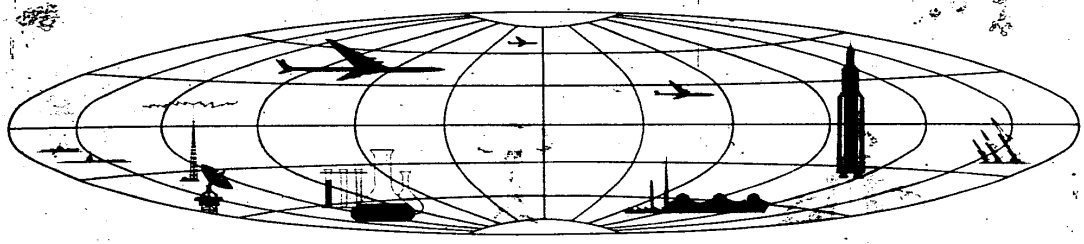

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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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CHERNYAKHOVSK ARMY BARRACKS WEST

(54-38N 021-48E)

CHERNYAKHOVSK, LATVIYSKAYA SSR, USSR

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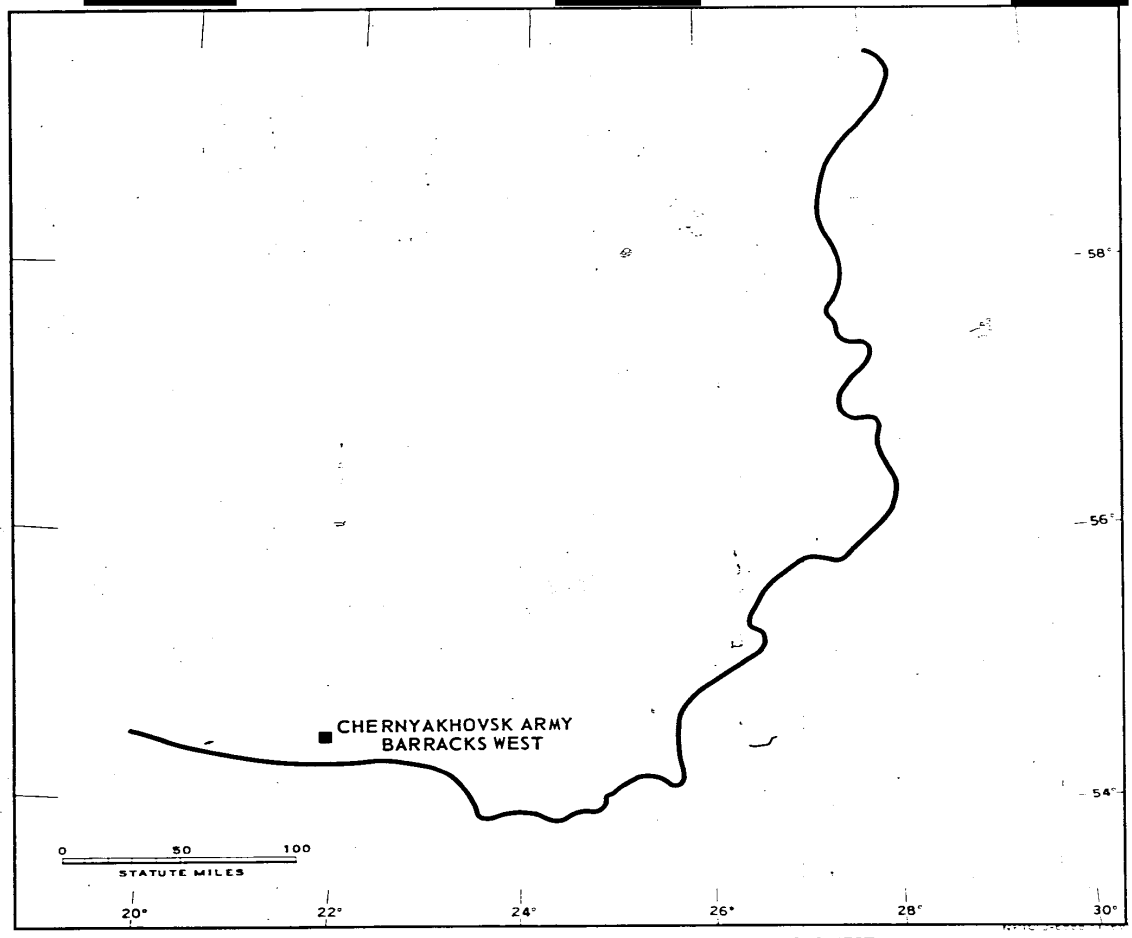

FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF CHERNYAKHOVSK ARMY BARRACKS WEST.

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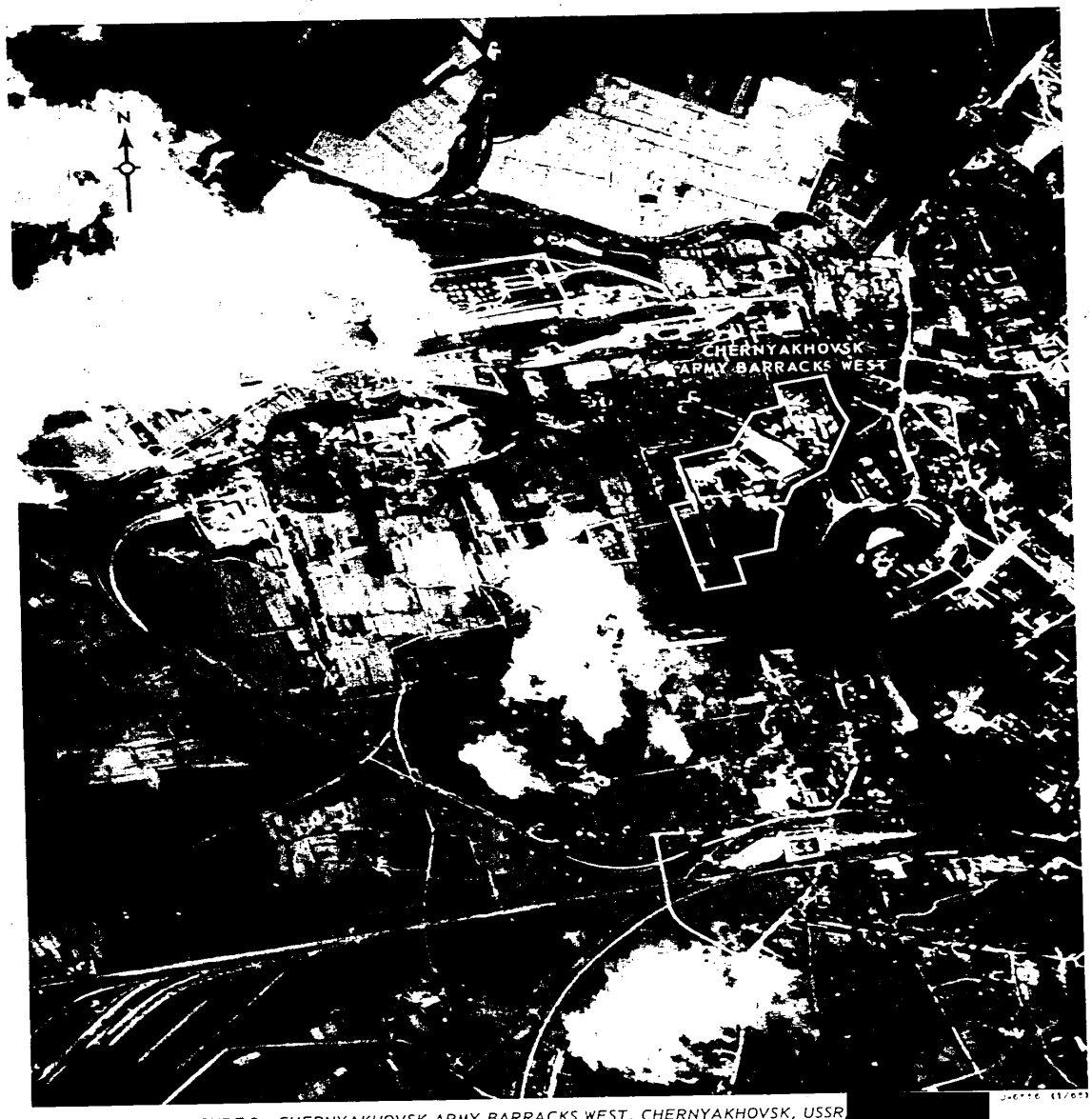

FIGURE 2. CHERNYAKHOVSK ARMY BARRACKS WEST, CHERNYAKHOVSK, USSR

SUMMARY

Chernyakhovsk Army Barracks West is located approximately 1.2 kilometers (km) west of Chernyakhovsk Army Barracks North and 4.2 km north-northeast of the Chernyakhovsk Airfield (Figure 1).

This installation covers approximately 40 acres and contains multistory barracks and buildings for administration, storage, support, and vehicle storage (Figures 2 and 3). Three POL storage areas are located within 2 km of the installation.

This installation is active and appeared unchanged on photography from [redacted] KEYHOLE missions between [redacted] However, better quality photography reveals buildings which are not new but could not be identified on earlier photography.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

A spur from the Chernyakhovski-Sovetsk rail line passes within 0.6 km of Areas D and G2.

Road Service

The barracks installation and the POL storage areas are served by good, all-weather roads.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains 10 multistory barracks, 5 administration buildings, 3 L-shaped administration buildings, 2 storage buildings, 4 support buildings, and 2 vehicle storage buildings, each 295 by 40 feet.

POL Storage Areas

Area G1 is located 0.6 km north-northwest of the barracks installation and contains: 6 cylindrical tanks, each 40 feet in diameter; 7 cylindrical tanks, each 30 feet in diameter; 12 bullet tanks, each 40 feet long; 6 blimp tanks, each 30 feet long; a storage building; a support building; and an administration building. This area is rail served and secured.

Area G2, located 0.3 km west of the barracks installation, is secured and contains 2 cylindrical tanks, each 30 feet in diameter, and 4 support buildings.

Area G3 is located 1.2 km south-southeast of the barracks installation and contains 2 cylindrical tanks, each [redacted] feet in diameter. This area is rail served and secured.

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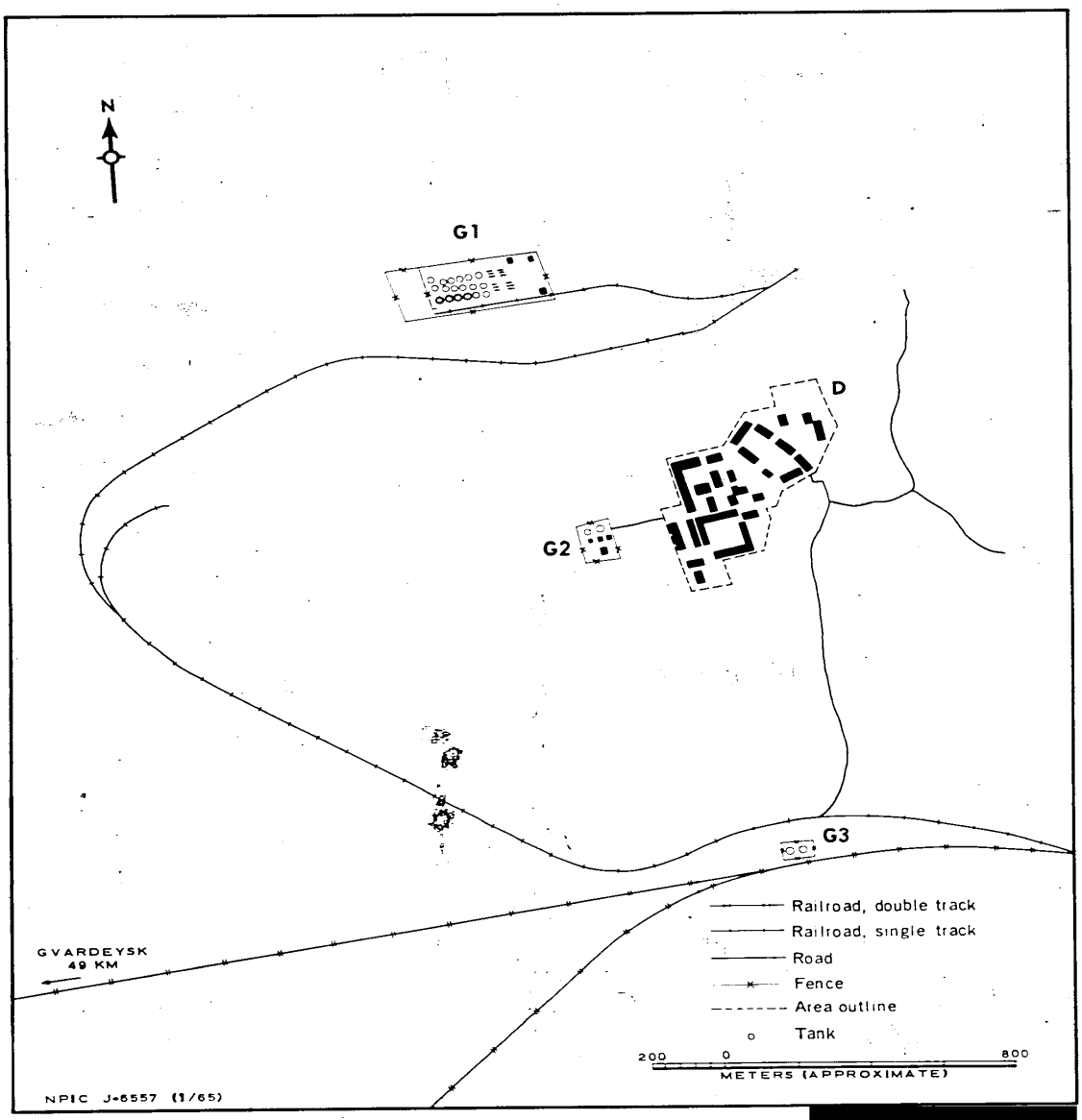

FIGURE 3. CHERNYAKHOVSK ARMY BARRACKS WEST. Sketch compiled from [redacted]

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